

Thank you for the opportunity to file a comment on this matter of the "BPL" 03-104 Proceeding.

I simply would like to state my strong wish that the Commission does not encourage, and in fact discourages, the use of the domestic power grid wiring for "the delivery of broadband services to homes and businesses using electrical wiring to conduct high-speed digital signals", a.k.a., BPL services. After additional readings and review of the material presented by The ARRL recently to the Commission in this matter, I am more than ever concerned that both normal and emergency Amateur Radio communications will be significantly harmed by such "BPL" services. Such Amateur communications need to be protected. There are several current viable alternatives to providing such services to users, as I myself have taken the freedom to utilize, such as cable-modem and DSL lines. BPL would not materially alter my choices as a consumer for such services. I see widespread BPL deployment as a distinct source of harm in fact to other radio services I currently am able to enjoy. These include commercial AM and shortwave radio services, not just my Amateur Radio interests.

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